

**ADVISORY COMMISSION ON PESTICIDES  
VETERANS' MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM  
5825 FLORIDA BLVD.  
BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA  
MARCH 17, 2011 9:30 AM**

**MINUTES**

**CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Doug Duty at 9:35 am.

**ROLL CALL**

Members present: Doug Duty, Dr. Grady Coburn, Wayne Ducote, Billy Guthrie, Dr. Marcia Hardy, Wayne Kent, Dwayne and Dr. Gary Ross.

Members absent: Mike Robichaux and Mike Vasko

Others present: Todd Parker, LDAF, David Fields, LDAF, Bobby Simoneaux, LDAF, Marvin Montgomery, LDAF Counsel, Mary Anderson, LDAF.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

None

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**Motion:** Mr. O'Brien made a motion to approve the minutes. This motion was seconded by Mr. Ducote and passed unanimously.

**AMENDMENTS TO AGENDA**

None

Mr. Duty turned over the meeting to Lindsey Hunter, Assistant Attorney General, for the Adjudicator hearing.

**ADJUDICATORY HEARING**

Mr. Montgomery presented the cases and the stipulations were read by Mr. Fields.

Jerry Chesser, Case No. 1466 stipulated to 1 violation and a fine of \$500.

**Motion:** Dr. Coburn made a motion to accept the stipulation as read. This motion was seconded by Mr. Duty and passed unanimously.

Kyle Spears, Case No. 1469 stipulated to 1 violation and a fine of \$500.

**Motion:** Mr. Guthrie made a motion to accept the stipulation as read. This motion was seconded by Mr. Ducote and passed unanimously.

Jimmy Pickering, Case No. 1468 stipulated to 1 violation and a fine of \$250.

**Motion:** Mr. O'Brien made a motion to accept the stipulation as read. This motion was seconded by Mr. Kent and passed unanimously.

Donald Johnson, Case No. 1470 stipulated to 1 violations and a fine of \$1000.

**Motion:** Mr. Duty made a motion to accept the stipulation as read. This motion was seconded by Mr. Ducote and passed unanimously

John Robert Gaumnitz, Case No. 1437 - This case was continued by the Hearing Officer.

### **DEPARTMENT REPORTS**

Mr. Fields gave an update on Larry LeJeune. LDAF will host Ag Day on March 18, 2011 from 2:00 - 4:00 pm in the atrium of the LDAF building.

Mr. Simoneaux reported that the NPDES public comment period has been published and the Rule should be in place by April 10, 2011. EPA petitioned to add 6 months stay of rule.

Mr. Simoneaux said that the number of complains continue to decline but that we are seeing difference in types of complaints. There are more complaints on crops and large acreage. Dr. Coriel, LSU AgCenter formed drift committee to address this problem.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

None

### **NEW BUSINESS**

None

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

None

### **FUTURE MEETING**

July 27, 2011 at 9:30 am

### **ADJOURN**

**Motion:** Mr. Ducote made a motion to adjourn. This motion was seconded by Mr. Guthrie and passed unanimously.